

IN CONFERENCE.

Governor Bradley and Inspector
Lester.

DR. HUNTER GOES TO CANTON.

A Sudden Mania—Thirty-five
Suicides in One Day.

VARIOUS NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Frankfort, Feb. 2.—The fact that
Inspector Lester has recommended
the dismissal of Superintendent
Letcher, of the Hopkinsville asylum
for the insane has created a great
sensation at the capital.

Inspector Lester and the Governor
have been in close conference today.
Though not disposed to talk for pub-
lication, Inspector Lester admitted,
when questioned, that he had recom-
mended the removal of Supt. Letcher.
Further he would not say, and the
grounds on which he bases his recom-
mendation are not known. It is
stated the report will be
made public this evening. It is also
stated the governor does not
agree with the recommendations of
Inspector Lester and is not disposed
to accept the recommendation. It is
not believed the governor will re-
move Superintendent Letcher, be-
lieving him to be the victim more or
less of malignant spite work.

Hunter in Canton.
Canton, Ohio, Feb. 2.—Dr. God-
frey Hunter, of Kentucky, is here in
conference with President-elect Mc-
Kinley. He was asked whether or
not his visit had anything to do with
the selection of the cabinet and ad-
mitted that it did.

A Sudden Mania.
New York, Feb. 2.—There seems
to be a suicidal mania sweeping the
country which is truly alarming. The
number of suicides reported in the
United States yesterday and today
reaches the appalling number of
thirty-five.

Suicide in Freezing.
Athens, Ohio, Feb. 2.—Isaac
Stephenson, of this place, committed
suicide last night in a most peculiar
manner, deliberately removing his
clothing and exposing himself to the
cold, he was frozen to death.

Fell From A Tree.
Greensburg, Ky., Feb. 2.—Willie
Thomas, while out "coon hunting" last
night met with an accident which
caused his death. In the endeavor
to dislodge a "coon" Willie climbed
the tree, losing his hold he fell to the
ground, a distance of thirty or forty
feet receiving fatal injuries.

Grocery Company Fails.
Mt. Sterling, Feb. 2.—The Con-
tinent Grocery Company, the oldest
firm doing business in the city, has
assigned for the benefit of creditors.
Impossibility of making collections is
given as a reason for the assignment.

Bankers Fail.
Boston, Feb. 2.—Hodges & Co.,
bankers and brokers of this city, have
made an assignment. No statement
of assets and liabilities has yet been
made.

DePew for Ambassador.
Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—It is
stated that the ambassadorship to
England has been offered to Clau-
ence M. DePew.

Long Will Accept the Navy.
Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—It is
considered certain by the friends of
Hon. John D. Long, of Massachusetts,
that he will accept the naval
portfolio.

FATALLY BURNED.

A Boy's Clothes Catch Fire at
Cairo.

A little boy 12 or 13 years old,
who lives with Mrs. G. W. Cary, at
Fourth and Walnut streets, was
adopted yesterday afternoon. With
other boys he was playing in the Big
Four railroad yards where oil tank
cars were standing. One of the tanks
leaked and the boy got a foot and
trousers leg saturated with the oil.
On his way home he stopped at a
bonfire some other boys had built,
and the oil in his clothing caught
fire. He was fearfully burned on
the leg, his hands and elsewhere, and
is in a critical condition.—Cairo
Argus.

Lost.
A fine getter dog, coal black, with
white in breast, has on brass collar,
fastened with copper wire. When
last seen had a black attached with
rope. Notify 728 South Third
street, and be rewarded. 21.

NEXT MONDAY

Is the Day for South Franklin's
Trial.

Noah Franklin, the young man of
near Brandenburg who was arrested
the second time last Saturday, for
the murder of Daisy Sullivan, will
have his examining trial next Mon-
day. At any rate Monday is the day
set for this, his second preliminary
hearing, although it may possibly be
again postponed.

HARRIS CORPUS.

A Well May be Taken Out in the
House Case.

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GENERAL LEE

Suggests a Demand For the Re-
lease of Sanguly.

FLOTILLA OF BOATS SUNK.

With Heavy Loss of Life to the
Spanish Occupants.

SECRETARY OLNEY MAKES A DEMAND.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Julio San-
guly, a citizen of the United States,
who has been condemned by Spanish
authorities to perpetual imprison-
ment in claims in Cuba, was the sub-
ject of a letter and correspondence
sent by the President to the Senate
today.

The report says that representa-
tives have been made to the Spanish
government which, it is believed,
will not be without effect; that the
case seems to be one in which exec-
utive clemency may be reasonably
exercised. The correspondence con-
tains letters stating that Julio
Sanguly had been arrested on
suspicion of corresponding against the
government, and that an American con-
sul, fearing that he might be immedi-
ately shot, represented to the Cap-
tain General that he was an Ameri-
can citizen. As he was not cap-
tured with arms in his hands, it was
sought to have him tried by a civil
court instead of a court-martial.

The Captain General, says Consul Williams,
expressed displeasure when he learned
that Sanguly had been recognized as
an American citizen by both govern-
ments, saying that Americans were
conspiring against Spain in the
United States, and he would shoot
every one found with arms in his
hands against the government of the
island, regardless of the consequences.

After some correspondence, the cases of San-
guly and Aguirre were transferred
to civil jurisdiction, and the delay in
their trial was attributed to their na-
tionality, and after many efforts to
have Sanguly's case come to trial,
the secretary of state, on September
3, last, demanded his immediate
trial or release.

Olney's Threat.
Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—The
American sugar planters in Cuba
have at last taken a decided stand.
On their demand, Secretary Olney
has cabled to the Madrid govern-
ment that the grinding of sugar cane
on American plantations in Cuba
must be permitted to proceed im-
mediately, or claims against Spain for
heavy damages due from January 1
will be filed at the state department.

A report came back from Madrid
that Gen. Weyler had been instructed
to countermand his order prohibiting
sugar grinding, and that the work
might begin forthwith. On the
strength of this an agent of the sugar
planters left recently for Cuba to see
Gen. Weyler and to start the grind-
ing.

Flotilla of Boats Sunk.
Key West, Feb. 2.—Another im-
mense disaster to the Spaniards is re-
ported. This time the navy depart-
ment said that a fleet of boats, as
one of Gen. Weyler's own river ex-
peditions, was badly used up. Fifteen
boats are said to have been sunk,
100 men reported to have been

killed and missing and the number of
wounded is put at seventy-five.
Hearing that the insurgents had
fortified some heights near Paez, on
the River Cames, Santa Clara Prov-
ince, Gen. Weyler sent Col. Seryes
with 300 men in small boats to cap-
ture the place and destroy the forts.
After proceeding up the river about
twenty miles, on rounding a sharp
bend, a heavy fire was opened on the
expedition with rifles and a 6-pound
field piece. The river there was
shallow and narrow, the channel be-
ing near the bank where the insur-
gents were. The fourth shot from
the cannon sunk one boat. A mo-
ment later another boat was sunk.

The Spaniards leaped out of the
boats, waded to land, and charged
the insurgents, who were protected
by the high banks and the thick
brush. The Spanish drove the insur-
gents off, but could not capture the
cannon.

Resuming the journey, the ex-
pedition was harassed at every bend
in the river. A few miles from Paez
the Cubans opened fire with two
cannon. Six boats were quickly
sunk, and then the rebel rifles played
havoc with the Spanish soldiers as
they struggled in the water. Four
of the wounded men were caught by
alligators near the shore and dragged
under. Col. Seryes was forced to
order a retreat, which speedily be-
came a rout. Hastily the boats
pulled back, but the Cubans pursued,
keeping up a constant fire, and sink-
ing more boats. Had not re-enforce-
ments come to the Spanish ten miles
from Ciudadguas not 100 men would
have escaped.

Gen. Weyler has made no official
report of this disaster.

BAD AND BLOODY.

Joe Smith Arrested This After-
noon.

Joe Smith, of the county, who was
robbed by Barbara Rankin a few
weeks ago at a Court street
resort, was taken to the
city hall very badly beaten
up this afternoon. He had an alter-
cation in an East Court street saloon
and blood had all over him when the
police took him away. The
police had not investigated the case
up to press time.

LITTLE EXCITEMENT

In Graves County Over the Re-
ported Assault.

The Accused Arrested in Tennes-
see and Brought to Fulton.

John Roland, colored, was cap-
tured last night near Hatchie, Tenn.,
on a charge of criminally assaulting
a daughter of a former named Al-
cock, of Clear Springs, Graves county,
Saturday afternoon.

The girl is but five years old, and
the assault is reported as being an
unusually revolting one. The negro
was employed on the farm of Alcock
and immediately after his diabolical
deed skipped out.

He was last night brought up to
Fulton, where he is in jail. The re-
port has not become general in
Graves county or the excitement
would be overwhelming. It is not
known what will be done with the
man, or when he will be taken to
Mayfield to await trial.

Advices from Mayfield this after-
noon state that a posse of men have
gone down after the darkie, and if
taken to Mayfield his life may be im-
periled. As yet particulars of the
alleged outrage are meagre.

USE SOULE'S BALM

FOR THE SKIN.

A specific for Rough Skins.
No grease, no glycerine,
delicately perfumed.

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ONLY.

EIGHTH SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF THE

Paducah Building Trust Company

DECEMBER 31, 1896.

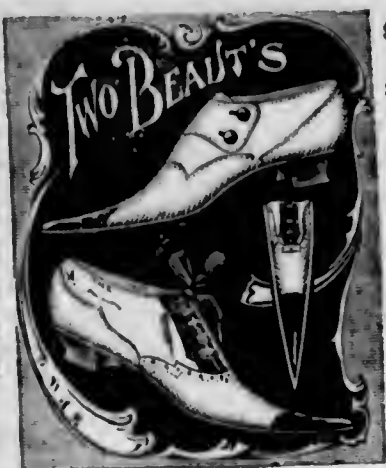
ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Mortgages	\$228,610.50	Paid-up Stock—80000	\$14,220.00
Loans on Stock	15,081.27	Paid-up Stock A	25,100.00
Real Estate by Purchase	12,082.50	Paid-up Stock B	50,850.00
Real Estate for Rent	1,393.27	Paid-up Stock C	8,875.00
In Trust—Common Stock	7,720.00	Paid-up Stock D	18,000.00
From Paid-up Stock	11,832.60	Installment Stock 100	81,796.25
From Divs	455.22	Installment Stock E 81.00	2,006.50
Cash on Hand		Installment Stock F 50c	866.31
		Bills Payable—Real Estate	3,000.00
		Mortgages Repaid	25,905.50
		Stock Loans Repaid	11,587.27
		Unpaid Loans	8,580.45
		First to Seventh Dividends	20,670.17
		Eighth Dividend	7,910.22
		Accumulated Interest on Paid-up Stock, not collected	807.39
	\$279,075.36		\$279,075.36

A semi-annual dividend of seven and eight-tenths per cent has this day been declared on the amount paid on stock out of the net earnings for the past six months (ending December 31, 1896). The total dividend for the year 1896 is fifteen and six tenths per cent.

R. G. CALDWELL, Vice President and General Manager of the Pad

We Want Your Trade

TO CLEAN OUT WE PUT ON SALE FOR



\$1.25—Ladies' Dongola Welts, Turns and M. S. small sizes, worth from \$3.00 to \$4.00.
\$1.50—Ladies' Dongola Fair Stairs, for winter use, were \$2.00.
\$2.00—Ladies' Dongola Welts, broken sizes, worth \$3.00.
\$2.48—Ladies' Lace or Button Ox Hoes, New Toes, Welts, handsome worth \$3.00.
\$2.68—Ladies' Lace or Button Welts, all new toes, worth \$3 and \$4.
\$1.98—Ladies' Dongola Spring Heels, Welts, best, cheap at \$3.00.
\$2.25—Men's Enameled Calf Hairs, sizes broken, sold at \$3.00.
\$3.75—Men's Pat. Leather, Needle Toe, sizes broken, sold at \$5.50.
\$3.00—Men's Broad Toe, Kangaroo, Cong, sold at \$5.00.
10 cents buys Child's Rubbers, heel, sizes broken.
25 cents buys Man's Rubbers, clogs, sizes broken.
25 to 50 buys ??? Rubber.

Full line of Children's Shoes, and great bargains in broken lots, in off toes.

AT PRICES GIVEN NONE OF THE ABOVE SENT OUT ON APPROVAL.

ELLIS, RUDY & PHILLIPS.



J. D. Bacon & Co. J. D. Bacon & Co. J. D. Bacon & Co.
PH. RMACISTS. DRUGGISTS. APOTHECARIES.

Prescriptions filled at all hours.
Night Bell side of door.

Can prepare your family or private recipes, from a liniment to a corn cure, and do it right.

We make a specialty of obtaining all kinds of barks, roots and herbs, so that you can get anything you want from this oft-neglected line of our business.

Pharmacists, Druggists and Apothecaries,
COR. SEVENTH AND JACKSON STREETS, PADUCAH, KY.

TONIGHT.
Windsor Theatre,
South Third Street.

LEW WATERS, Manager
S. E. FURMAN, Treasurer
A Family Resort for Ladies and Children
Bell and Ellis, English Royal Marionettes.
The one net Irish comedy.

Sully's First Trip to America.
Change of play twice a week
Admission, 10 and 20 cents.

MORTON'S OPERA HOUSE.
FLETCHER TERRY, Manager.

One Day Only.
TUESDAY, Feb. 2.
A GREAT EVENT.

First appearance here of
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Whytal
In the Romantic Drama,
"For Fair Virginia"

As acted by them over 100 times.

The Courier-Journal said:
A play that tugs the heart and stirs the blood. Well written and well constructed.

Elaborate Special Scenery.
A Brilliant Company.
Prices—25c, 30c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.
Seats on sale Monday morning at Van Culin's.

Smoking Tobacco
and Catarrh Cure.

This combination furnishes not only a delightful Smoking Tobacco but also a positive remedy for Catarrh. In taking your accustomed delightful smoke, discharge the smoke up through the nostrils and the cure is absolutely certain. Inhale in the throat and it cures.

Sore Throat, Bronchitis
and Catarrh.

And Heals the Lungs.
The tobacco is manufactured with the greatest care and is perfectly harmless, any child or the most delicate lady can smoke it in pipe or cigarette.

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4th & Broadway.

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Cast-Off Clothing
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I will BUY them for Cash.

Housewives can find many articles about the house too much worn for wear, but too good to throw away. Gather them up and send them to me or notify me by postal card and I will call for them.

Parties desiring good second hand clothing or shoes will find a large assortment at my place.

Shoes repaired. We have first-class workmen employed, and can do your work on short notice. Will call for your repair work if notified and will also deliver it.

214 Court St.
CHAS. NORWOOD.

WEATHER REPORT.
Louisville, Ky., Feb. 2.—Generally fair, slightly warmer Wednesday.

LOCAL MENTION.

Trouble With the Machinery.
Some of the electric light machinery has become deranged at the city power house, and as a result for a night or two quite a number of the lights have been out.

Diploma Flour takes the lead of all patent flours.

Marrington Murray.
Miss Emma Linn, daughter of Judge Linn, of Murray, will on the 10th inst., be married to Mr. Ryan Ferguson, of the same place at 10 p. m. Both are well known young people.

Shooting Gallery at 218 Broadway seems to be a success.

Wanted By
Lawrence Second Hand Co., 213 Court St., 20 good bedsteads at once, also ice boxes, refrigerators, baby buggies, etc.

He is a Good Man.
Conductor Wm. Beadles has accepted a position with the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis road as conductor. He had not wielded the punch for some time until yesterday, being let out on the C. O. & S. W. when the I. C. took charge. He took his first run out yesterday.

Have opened an art school at 719 Madison street; will teach beginners and advanced pupils. For terms apply to Miss Augusta Best.

Revival Service.
Elder Calhoun will preach again at the Christian mission Sunday school room, Tenth between Clay and Harrison, 7:30 o'clock. All who can come are cordially invited.

For Rent.
A good dwelling house, large yard, hydrant in same, good out buildings. Apply to J. R. POYEAIR.

Died.
May Rita Robertson died February 1 1897 at the convent of the Good Shepherd, at Memphis, aged 14. Funeral services at 11 a. m. at the Catholic church Sixth and Broadway.

Doctor's prescriptions given careful attention by registered graduates in pharmacy. Only strictly pure drugs and chemicals used. Give us your trade and rest assured that you get just what the doctor prescribes.

ONTSCHLAGER & WALKER, Druggists, Fifth and Broadway, Feb. 1st

Employment.
Any one desiring steady employment at good wages, call on R. S. Barnett, mechanicsburg, Feb. 1st

Boys' undershirts, extra heavy, 22 1/2 c. M. Levy's, 204 Court street, Feb. 2

Mr. Ruth, the fisherman, was fined \$25 and costs Saturday in Justice Winchester's court for living on a shanty boat without paying taxes.

Diploma is sold by all reputable retailers in the city.

Children's shoes, 5c to 8c at 35c. M. Levy's, 204 Court street, Feb. 2

A. L. Miller, druggist, Huntington, Ind., writes under date of May 15, 1896: "Dr. Mendenhall's Improved Child and Fever Cure outsells all others here as it does the work and is the most pleasant child cure we handle." Price 50 cents. Sold by DuBois & Co.

WANTED—To exchange for Paducah improved or vacant, or nearby farm, good real estate in a city of 40,000; income \$700 per annum. Address N. Y. Z., care Sen.

At once by Lawrence Second Hand Co., 213 Court street, twenty second hand mattresses and twenty sets of chairs.

PERSONALS.

Will O'Brien, of Memphis, is in the city.

Mr. K. E. Ashbrook is in Cairo on business.

Mr. Will Thompson, of Florence station was in the city today.

The "For Fair Virginia" Company arrived this afternoon at 2:45.

The Catholic Columbian club meets tonight at Cecilia Hall in regular session.

A masquerade ball was given last night at Jones' Hall and a large crowd attended.

Messrs. Wm. Atwood and James Bailey, of Ozan, were in the city today on business.

Miss Dora Duffee, of Calvert City, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Dr. J. T. Frank.

Mrs. J. B. Stewart left at noon for her home in Smithville, Tex., after a visit to Mrs. I. D. Wilcox.

Mr. J. D. Wilcox is still confined to his room, suffering from the operation recently performed on his eyes.

Mr. W. E. Hughes, a well known young lawyer, formerly of this city, has returned to practice his profession.

Mrs. Jim Arnold and son, Meyers, left this morning for Shiloh, Florida, on a visit to friends and relatives.

The dance given at Elk's Hall last night in honor of Miss Stella Feinenthal, of Jackson, Tenn., and Rosa Hersher, of Philadelphia, was well attended.

Col. H. H. Holston says that the report that he would move to Mayfield is erroneous. That he will remain here and continue in his race for circuit clerk.

Before having any dental work done you can well afford to consult Dr. Fiddymount, who takes out the very best of work at reasonable prices. All work done by the latest painless methods. Opera House Block.

Hon. Chas. Reed is an avowed candidate for mayor. As he made the city one of the best mayors it ever had, if a Democrat has to be elected no one will kick on Chas. Reed. But he is harboring a forlorn hope as our next mayor will be a Republican.

NO CHIEF YET.
But Officer Henry Singery Will Probably Get It.

Mayor Yeiser has not yet permanently installed anyone night chief of police, but Chief Singery will in all probability get the place. The salary was increased \$5 a month by the council last night.

Relapient consumption is cured with Dr. Bell's Pine Tree Honey. Inflammation is allayed and the clogging of the lungs is stopped. When this is accomplished the road to health is a straight one. Get a bottle today.

For sale by Oelshlaeger & Walker corner 5th and Broadway.

People who use Diploma Flour are always pleased.

Turkey prize shooting every day at gallery, 218 Broadway. (12)

If you need rent receipts call at this office. Books 10c each.

The Ladies' Society of the Lutheran church will not meet tomorrow afternoon as announced, but has been postponed until Wednesday, Feb. 10 when it will meet with Mrs. M. H. Hume, Jr., 519 Madison street. All members are requested to attend this meeting.

SHORT BUT SPIRITED.

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RELIEF COMMITTEE.

Chairman Starks read a statement from Rev. M. Ungerleider relative to his assessment. Chairman Starks recommended that the assessment be reduced \$325. The motion prevailed.

Mr. Starks made a statement relative to the assessment of Mrs. Joe Peal. He moved that \$1.50 for poll tax be refunded.

SEWERAGE COMMITTEE.

Chairman Barnes stated in behalf of the committee that they had decided to district the city and with this object in view had written to Engineer Elliott, of Memphis, who agreed to come here for \$50 and remain until his work is completed, which would probably be in two or three days.

Mayor Yeiser then read from G. A. Carmi at Washington a proposition agreeing to give professional services free.

Mr. Barnes moved that the Memphis gentleman be invited here, and Mr. Williamson favored it. The latter said that in a matter that would cost the city such a vast amount of money, it was advisable to move cautiously and that he was in favor of inviting the Memphis gentleman here and if necessary the other one too. Major Barnes motion prevailed.

Mr. Livingston said it was very gratifying to him to ascertain that so much interest was being taken in the sewerage matter and that he was glad so many people were in favor of it.

FIRE COMMITTEE.

The reports of fire chief and water supply company were received and filed.

NEW BUSINESS.

Councilman Williamson, as chairman of the committee appointed to confer with the butchers, reported that two conferences had been held, and moved that the committee be continued that it may in the future act in conjunction with the ordinance committee and take action that will prove satisfactory to butchers, taxpayers and all.

Mr. Bell read a communication from Supt. Einstein, of the People's Street Railway company, asking for a franchise granting right of way over Fountain avenue. The matter was referred to the ordinance and cemetery committee.

Councilman Bell read the following resignation of Mr. C. A. Isbell, as a member of the board of health: Paducah, Ky., Feb. 1, 1897.

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council of the City of Paducah: Gentlemen: Some time since your honorable body saw proper, in organizing your board of health to elect me a member thereof. Since that time I have been the recipient of undue and very unpleasant notoriety, and the inhuman spirit displayed toward me by some former members of the board, prompted me to resign.

I desire to thank your honorable body for the compliment shown me and my race by recognizing in me suitable qualifications to fill the important position to which you elected me.

It is a source of gratification to me that with all the objections raised, none have questioned my fitness in point of education, professional attainments, or personal bearing to fill the office satisfactorily, my color alone arousing prejudice.

It will at all times be a pleasure to me to render such assistance as I may be able, to your board of health, and I trust a long season of perfect health, tranquility and prosperity may be dawning upon us.

Respectfully,
C. A. ISBELL, M. D.

On motion of Capt. Williamson the resignation was accepted, ordered spread on the minutes and published.

Major Barnes asked for the opinion of City Attorney Husbands on the repair system of streets, fostered by Mr. Barnes.

Col. Husbands gave it as his opinion that the city is certainly empowered to let or grant a contract appropriating large sums of money for more than one year at the time, which question engendered no little doubt in the minds of some of the councilmen. The opinion was received and filed.

Major Barnes then made a statement on his pet street scheme, and wanted the mayor to advertise, according to a resolution previously adopted by the council, for the work to be done on the streets.

Councilman Williamson said that this was a question that struck to the very core of every taxpayer of the city of Paducah. He pulled figures and facts, showing the costs of interest, etc., of which no attention is made in the repair ordinance, and showed where these alone had cost the city this year \$3,742.85, including a few other items of little significance. He computed that this \$3,742.85 would be added to Mr. Barnes' estimate that it was economy to adopt such a system of street repairs as he had been advocating and would, at the same time have pretty streets. He said he had given thought to that would give the city better streets.

Capt. Carter moved to amend the original motion by inserting a provision that the city buy its own machinery and let the contracts separately by the year.

Capt. Williamson asked that the motion be referred.

Mr. Kierchoff said he was in favor of deferring action also, as he didn't want to put a burden on the city.

Capt. Carter's motion was carried by a vote of 8 to 3.

Capt. Carter mentioned the proposition to increase the salary of the chief of night police. The chief, he said, had to sit in the office all night without having an opportunity, as other officers do, of making a few extra dollars as witness fees. He moved to increase the salary \$5 a month, or rather to donate to him an extra \$5 for the remainder of the year. The motion was carried by a vote of 6 to 5.

Councilman Kameleiter wanted smoke protectors purchased for the new chemical engines. The amount was but \$5, so it was allowed.

A communication was received notifying the city that \$30,000 worth of city 4 1/2 per cent. bonds were sold to the Middleton Savings Bank, at Middleton, Conn.

Mr. Rinekleff said that there had been some controversy relative whether the school fund was to receive its 36 per cent. of the back tax collections. Col. Husbands gave it as his opinion that these back taxes went just as any others. The proper order was made.

City Treasurer Donovan made a statement regarding the payment of interest on city bonds, after which a resolution was passed providing that Mr. Donovan be authorized to forward the amount to New York at the meeting just previous to the time the interest falls due.

Mr. Barnes made a motion that Dr. Jewett's resignation as a member of the board of health be accepted and the motion prevailed. Dr. S. H. Simpson was elected in his stead.

Dr. P. G. Reed was nominated to fill the other vacancy in the board and unanimously elected.

Mayor Yeiser read a communication from John H. Zorn about the purchase of ten or more city directories. Mr. Williamson moved that three copies be bought.

Mr. Zorn then made a statement, saying that by his affidavit (for which he charged \$50) he had saved it \$1200. The council couldn't see how that was done, however.

Mr. Williamson then "roasted" the directory, saying that it was very incorrect and he thought three was enough.

On motion of Capt. Carter five copies were bought.

Mayor Yeiser read a proposition from ex-Chief Hall to keep the city in a first-class sanitary condition, to execute any bond that might be named. It was received and referred to the sanitary committee.

The mayor also read a communication from A. J. Burke about an accident that occurred at Fourth and Harrison streets several months ago, in which the above had a hole knocked in his head. He asked that the matter be squared by appointing him a stationman at the new station.

It was received and filed.

A communication was also read from Mr. F. M. Berger about the way his house is situated near the new fire department's location. He offered to sell the city the property for \$700. The matter was referred to the fire committee.

Mayor Yeiser then read his veto of the public printing ordinance for several alleged reasons.

Mr. Williamson moved that the ordinance be passed, the veto of the mayor to the contrary notwithstanding. His motion was lost by a vote of 7 to 4, eight votes being required. Those voting for the mayor were Barnes, Rinekleff, Carter and Kameleiter.

Capt. Williamson moved that the council go into the election of a public printer.

Mr. Barnes moved to defer action and require all the newspapers to file affidavits specifying the number of bona fide subscribers. Major Barnes' amendment was lost by a vote of 7 to 4.

Mr. Williamson's motion to elect a public printer was carried by a vote of 7 to 4.

Mr. Williamson nominated Mr. F. M. Fisher, of the Six, for public printer.

Mayor Barnes nominated the evening "News."

The mayor said he would veto the action. He said he didn't believe it was legal, but Col. Husbands said it was. And the mayor was informed that he couldn't veto an election.

Mr. Barnes withdrew the "News" from the competition.

The question then came up whether or not a man with any stock in a newspaper could vote for the election of an individual as public printer.

Col. Husbands said the public printer must be a person and not a paper. That the public printer was not a paper or a printing office, but a person. He gave it as his opinion that previous elections of public printers, where papers were elected, were illegal.

The vote resulted in Mr. Fisher receiving eleven votes.

The council then adjourned, but the mayor, in his excitement, had forgotten to appoint a policeman to fill the vacancy occasioned by the dismissal of Chief Hall, but not for the same position. The vote to adjourn was reconsidered and Mayor Yeiser appointed Mr. Frank Snelley, the appointment being ratified.

TEACHER WARRANTED
For Stealing Coal From the N. C. & St. L.

Saturday Justice Winchester issued warrants against two men named Dew and Rice for stealing coal from the N. C. & St. L. depot.

No effort was made to apprehend them until yesterday and now they have escaped.

There is one warrant against a colored woman said to be a teacher in the public schools for coal stealing.

"FOR FAIR VIRGINIA."

A Fine Play at the Opera House Tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Whytal in their great play, "For Fair Virginia," will be the attraction at the opera house tonight. Those who like to witness a fine play well acted with special scenery, should not fail to see "For Fair Virginia" at the opera house tonight.

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112 and 114 North Third Street.

Prices at on everything nothing excepted.

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Unsurpassed cut—determined methods—Through this store the public will save lots of money in the year 1897.

Many special bargains will be on sale Wednesday the 3d.

A special bargain list will appear in this space in next issue.

Watch this space for the announcement of the arrival of new goods—lots of them coming.

112 and 114 North Third St.

HELD OVER.

Pinckney Childers Seems to be Guilty.

Charged With Stealing \$40 From From Wm. Rummel.

Pinckney Childers, a wayward boy who has been in trouble before, but none of such a serious nature, was held over in Judge Sanders' court this morning on a charge of stealing \$40 from William Rummel, who was out on a little spree last Friday night. He lost \$60, he claimed, but Marshal Collins found what disposition he had made of \$20, leaving \$40 missing.

The evidence of Rummel showed nothing except that he had \$60 in new ten dollar bills, the last thing he remembered. When he wound up at the city hall about midnight he had but \$5 and some small change.

Childers attempted to change two new ten dollar bills Saturday and was arrested.

He was seen with Rummel, but claimed this morning that the money was given him by Fred Romine, a cigar maker, as "hush" money. The story was so palpably false that it only made the case worse against Childers.

Romine denied that he gave any money to Childers, and Judge Sanders, in reviewing the case, said he hoped the young man would be able to prove his innocence in the circuit court, but that the evidence is now all against him. He was held in the sum of \$200.

Childers could not execute bond, and was remanded to jail. It is possible that he may yet succeed in executing it, however.

Manager Waters Departed.
Manager Lew Waters, his daughter and two other members of the Windsor Theater Stock Co., left the city a day or two ago for unknown parts in an insolvent condition, judging from reports.

Waters had played in hard luck ever since his advent into the city, his wife having come here only a few days after his theater was opened and forced him to sign papers enabling her to get a divorce, at the same time threatening him if he refused to comply with her request.

She informed Marshal Collins that she had her husband's willful disposition and fondness for other women. She procured her papers and left.

Waters was a pretty good sort of a fellow, but did not meet with any success here. It is understood that he did not leave without apprising his creditors of his intentions.

The Windsor Theater will probably be reopened about Thursday with new people.

BOXING AND WRESTLING.
New Kind of Sport Inaugurated Here.

Dr. Brantley, the Mexican, and a man named Barbell, of Louisville, will engage in a sparring match tonight at the Mayflower saloon, kept by Tom Evetts at 6 o'clock. Both are experts and some good sport is expected.

Two colored men will wrestle with Geo. Robertson's bear, also. It will be muzzled and its claws will be increased in shows and drives.

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